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1. The firm formerly known as Hodek and Kadlek, located at Vzavetri Street, Prague, 7, has been nationalized and renamed PAL (Pomocny automobilovy a letectvy prumysl). The factory is engaged in turning out precision instruments for automobiles and planes. Its monthly production consists of approximately 900 hand compasses, 900 aviation compasses, 900 sun-measuring devices, and 900 gasoline gauges for aircraft. In addition, approximately 200 instruments for measuring angles of turn, 80 stabilization guides, 600 electromagnets, and 200 devices for controlling landing gears are produced monthly.
2. The plant, which is worked in three shifts, suffers from lack of materials, especially in the production of electromagnetic "counters", which require "hairs" of fine bronze wire imported from Switzerland. PAL works with Swiss SIP machines.
3. All of the plant's production is shipped to the USSR.

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